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...RAM WARD,
... C. EDGAR,
... Committee.

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We guarantee satisfaction or no sale.

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For Sale by Car Loads, Ton or otherwise.

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—AT—

REASONABLE PRICES.

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Decatur Ice Co.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of seven special executions to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John Ullrich, one in favor of J. Millikin & Co., one in favor of John S. Kizer, one in favor of A. J. Chapman, one in favor of John W. Murphy, one in favor of H. M. Myers, one in favor of A. T. Risley—all of them assigned to Henry Bishop and against the estate of Joseph B. Myers, deceased, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter, and the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-six [26], town sixteen [16] north, range three [3] east of the 3rd P. M., situated in Macon county, State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said estate of Joseph B. Myers, deceased, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22d day of May, A. D. 1880.
M. FORSTMYER,
Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.

May 24d3—w

A MEAN TRICK.

Played with a New Hat and an Old Cheese.

Probably the meanest trick that was ever played on a white man was played last week in New York, and the fact that there is no vigilance committee there is the only reason the perpetrators of the trick are alive. A business man had just purchased a new stiff hat, and he went into a saloon with a half dozen of his friends to fit the hat on his head. They took beer, and passed the hat around so all could see it. One of the meanest men that ever held a country office went to the bar-tender and had a thin slice of Limburger cheese cut off and when the party were looking at the frescoed ceiling through beer glasses this wicked person slipped the cheese under the sweat leather of the hat, and the man put it on and walked out. The man who owned the hat was one of your nervous people, who was always complaining of being sick, and one who feels as though some dreadful disease was going to take possession of him and carry him off. He went back to his place of business, took off his hat and laid it on the table, and proceeded to answer some letters. He thought he detected a smell, and when his partner asked him if he didn't feel sick, he said he believed he did. The man turned pale and he said he guessed he would go home. He met a man on the sidewalk who said the air was full of miasma, and in the street car the man who sat next to him moved away to the other end of the car, and asked him if he had just come from Chicago. The man with the hat said he had not, when the stranger said they were having a great deal of small pox there, and he guessed he would get out and walk, and he pulled the bell and jumped off. The cold perspiration broke out on the forehead of the man with the new hat, and he took it off to wipe his forehead, when the whole piece of cheese seemed to roll over and breathe, and the man got the full benefit of it, and he came near fainting away. He got home and his wife asked him what was the matter. He said he belived mortification had set in, and she took one whiff as he took off his hat, and said she should think it had. "Where did you get into it?" said she. "Get into it?" said the man, "I have not got into anything, but deadly disease has got hold of me and I shall not live." She told him if any disease that smelled like that had got hold of him and was going to be chronic, she felt as though he would be a burden to himself if he lived very long. She got his clothes off, soaked his feet in mustard water and he slept. The man slept and dreamed that a small pox flag was hung in front of his house and that he was riding in a butcher wagon to the pest house. The wife sent for a doctor and when the man of pills arrived she told him all about the case. The doctor picked up the patient's new hat, tried it on and gave a sniff. He said the hat was picked before it was ripe. The doctor and wife held a post mortem examination of the hat and found the slice of Limburger. "Few and short were the prayers they said." The doctor brought to the bedside the hat and opened up the sweat leather, and showed the dying man what it was that smelled so, and told him he was as well as any man in the city. The last we saw of the odoriferous citizen he was trying to bribe the bar tender to tell him which one of those pelicans it was that put that slice of cheese in his hat-lining.

AN HONEST MEDICINE FREE OF CHARGE.

Of all medicines advertised to cure any affection of the Throat, Chest or Lungs, where everything else has failed. No medicine can show one-half so many pos- we know of none we can recommend so highly as Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Hoarseness, Tickling in the Throat, loss of voice, etc. This menicine does *positively cure*, and that itive and permanent cures as have already been effected by this truly wonderful remedy. For Asthma and Bronchitis it is a specific cure, curing the very worst cases in the shortest possible time. We say by all means give it a trial. *Trial bottles free.* Regular size, $1. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

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The old reliable house of J. G. Starr & Son have now in stock one of the largest and most complete stocks of single and double harness in Illinois, of great variety and all the very latest styles, handsomely ornamented with oriental and nickel wire ball trimmings. Parties will save from 10 to 20 per cent. by purchasing harness of this house. ap27dtf

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The celebrated Wilson Bros.' Shirts made to order and in stock, at
tf B. STINE's, the Boss Clothier.

16 Ribbed

22 inch, heavy twilled silk parasols. The best goods in the city.
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LACE TIES and Fichus, in new designs, just received by Linn & Scruggs.
21-d&wtf

MICHIGAN Seed Potatoes, Early Rose and Peach Blow, at YOUNG BROS.
April 29—wtf

THE best double lounge in the market is now on sale at P. B. Provost & Son's furniture store. dtf.

Truth Prevails, and Time Tells!

Arguments to defend self-interest, and reasons based upon statements, do not by any means convey a fact.

FACTS!

must be practically demonstrated, and time is the great factor to bring about the required result.

If any of our competitors and would-be manufacturers tell you in flaring advertisements we manufacture our own goods and, therefore, sell cheaper than anybody else, ask them the following questions:

1. WHY IS IT THEY NEVER MAKE A SUCCESS IN ESTABLISHING A PERMANENT TRADE?

2. WHAT ARE THEY MOVING THEIR STORES FOR FROM ONE PLACE TO ANOTHER?

3. WHY DON'T THEY STAY WHERE SUCCESS HAS BEEN ACHIEVED?

Customers don't care whether we manufacture our own Clothing or not, as long as we can furnish them with a line of goods superior in fit and general make up at lower figures than any of our competitors.

The steady increase of our business speaks louder than mere words.

YOURS TRULY,

B. STINE,

—THE—

BOSS CLOTHIER.

May 14—d&wtf

The City Railway, Chicago, works 4,760 horses. Read what Supt. SQUIRES has to say:

We use exclusively Whittier's Liniment. It will pay all owners of horses to call or write.
M. W. SQUIRES, Supt. C. C. R. Co.

The Express Company work 370 horses. Read what Supt. KNIGHT has to say:

I have been using Liniment on the horses of the American and U. S. Express Co.'s stables for 24 years. I never met any that had one-tenth the merit of Whittier's Liniment. Our stables are open; call and see for yourselves.
H. KNIGHT, Supt. U. S. Ex. Co.

Read what Graves & Lomis, the largest breeders of horses in the State of Illinois, have to say:

For thirty years we have been using all kinds of liniment manufactured for horses, and, of all the liniments, Whittier's stands at the head of the list for Scratches, Greased Heel, Sprains, Galled Spots, and Sores of any kind. It will give all horsemen satisfaction
GRAVES & LOMIS.

Scratches, Greased Heel, Thrush, Galled Spots from any cause, heal up in from two to three applications, and you can work the horse every day, and you can cure him at the same time. It will take out all inflammation in a few moments.

There is no remedy on earth that equals Whittier's Liniment for

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☞ It will have the same effect upon the human. Piles, Scrofula, Scald Head, Catarrh, Pimples or Blotches on Face or Body, Old Sores or Fresh Cuts.

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Nov. 13—ds&weow1yr

GO TO Dr. A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled.—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.
Feb. 28—dtf

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5—dtf

IF you want good bread buy at Milam's bakery. 24-dtf

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SPECIALTIES:

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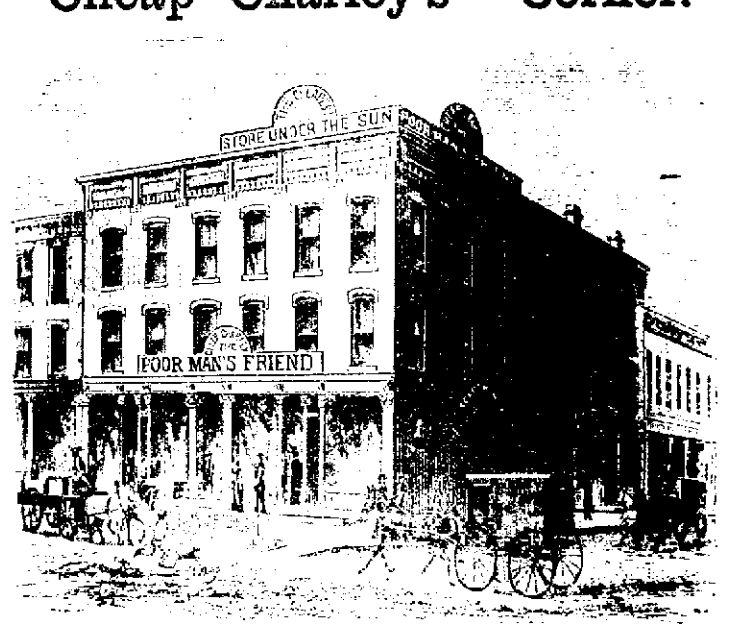
"Cheap Charley's" Corner.



JUST THINK OF IT!

Our Factory and Storehouse is in Chicago!

One of the partners resides in Chicago!

All our Clothing is manufactured by us under his personal supervision!

If any bargain is in the market, he is there to secure it!

The ready cash is always at his disposal!

We buy our material direct from the producer!

We do not buy for one, but for many stores in large quantities, and thus are certain of the Lowest Price!

We sell direct to the consumer for Cash, and do not contract bad debts which have to be made up large profits!

We return the money if Goods do not give satisfaction!

WHY, OF COURSE, THESE ARE REASONS ENOUGH WHY IT IS THAT WE SELL LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE.

1. We have demonstrated the fact of our success by a constant increase of our stock, and by the constant envy of our would-be competitors.

2. We have demonstrated the fact of our permanence by increasing the facilities for selling in proportion as the number of our costumers increased, and that we need now so much room and moved to larger quarters, is as much as a beam in the eye of our competitor.

3. We stay where we have made our success, in the building corner of Water and Main streets, in the block, the name of which has become a by-word in every household in the country—"CHEAP CHARLEY'S CORNER."

4. Although through with No. 1, 2 and 3, we add a 4, and are ready to go on till 13, 14, 15. Now under No. 4 we will explain some of the rules which guide us in business and which added to our success: A—Before all we attend to our own affairs, even so far as to write out our own advertisements—never allow anybody else to do it for us; believing ourselves able to manufacture them, as we manufacture our own clothing. B—We never allow stock to grow old on our hands, and to enable us to keep it fresh assorted at all time, we must do a certain amount of business. Now if we open a new branch in a town which proves not to be able to secure us that much trade, we move our stock to another place where we do find it. Sometimes we make a mistake in selecting the right town, but that cannot be helped. Among so many good towns in the west must be also some poor ones, like among so many precious good stones, it happens once in the while to find one that is not worth taking notice of.

We defy anybody to falsify the above facts.

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH
Manufacturers of
MEN'S AND BOYS'
Clothing!
Dealers in
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TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 15, 1880.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENT,

JAMES A. GARFIELD,

of Ohio.

For Vice President,

CHESTER A. ARTHUR,

of New York.

For Governor,
SHELBY M. CULLOM,
of Sangamon.

For Lieutenant Governor,
JOHN M. HAMILTON,
of McLean.

For Secretary of State,
HENRY D. DEMENT,
of Lee.

For Auditor of Public Accounts,
CHARLES P. SWIGERT,
of Kankakee.

For Treasurer,
EDWARD RUTZ,
of Cook.

For Attorney General,
JAMES McCARTNEY,
of Wayne.

For Congress—14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
of Vermilion county.

For Member of the State Board of Equalization, 14th Congressional District,
MAJ. CHARLES F. EMERY,
of Macon county.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republican voters of the several townships and election districts, in Macon county are requested to elect delegates to a county convention, to be held at the court house in Decatur, on

Thursday, August 5th,

at 10 o'clock a. m. for the following purposes:

1st, To reorganize the county central committee;

2d, To choose delegates to represent Macon county in the legislative convention of the 29th senatorial district, hereafter to be called;

3d, To nominate candidates for clerk of the Circuit Court, Sheriff, Coroner and Prosecuting Attorney, to be voted for at the ensuing November election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the convention. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 50 votes cast for Rutherford B. Hayes in 1876, and one delegate for every fraction of 25 votes. Upon this basis the several townships and districts will be entitled to delegates as follows:

Decatur—1st District	8	Long Creek	2
" —2d "	6	Milan	1
" —3d "	5	Maroa	5
" —4th "	4	Mt. Zion	2
Austin	2	Macon	4
Blue Mound	2	Niantic	2
Friends Creek	3	Oakley	2
Hickory	2	Pleasant View	2
Harristown	2	Wheatland	2
Illini	2	Whitmore	3

By order of the committee.

JAMES C. LAKE, Chairman.

AN EVIDENCE OF HONESTY.

One of the evidences of General Garfield's honesty while in political life is that all his property consists of a farm of one hundred and sixty acres, at Mentor, Ohio, and a residence in Washington. If he had been the corrupt man that some would have us believe, he would be possessed of more goods and chattels than these. One of his sons, who is now at school in New Hampshire evidently thinks the "old man" is rich. The boy's letter on that point, an extract from which we append, is worthy of universal perusal for it is decidedly original, and may impart to some a new idea of what wealth consists in. In writing to a friend he says:

Although we are poorer as to money than most of the boys here, I never have considered that we were one iota poorer boys. For I look at it in this way: Papa is as rich as any of the boys' fathers, but in a different way. His fortune is not realized, and theirs is. They may lose their fortunes in a day, but he has his in a bank where, as long as he lives, it is safe. I mean by his "bank" his mind. He could be rich now by having practiced law, but he chose to follow a political life.

GEN. PARSONS denies that he has been a republican, but does not deny that he voted for Gen. Grant for President. As for his votes for Lincoln, he says that was during the war, and his recollection can't be expected to be very clear on that point. Possibly our ex-Quartermaster believed with Douglas that, at that time, there were "but two parties—patriots and traitors." And for the time being, to his credit be it spoken, he chose to co-operate with the former. The question is, however, why he should be found in different company now?—*State Journal.*

Yes, why should he, like Trumbull, go back to the companionship of the men whom the latter stigmatized as "mostly traitors?"

THIS from the Augusta (Me.) *Journal* probably expresses the feeling of Mr. Blaine's nearest and truest friends:

The great throb of poignant disappointment which convulsed every Republican heart in Maine when the news flashed over the wire that Blaine failed to secure the nomination at Chicago was followed by a feeling of profound thankfulness that the convention had yet succeeded in nominating a candidate so able, so valiant, and so pure to lead them on to victory. The whole nation knows who our first choice was. For like "lesser than Macbeth yet greater," that experienced statesman, that sagacious leader, that king of men, James G. Blaine, we had enthusiasm and love and pride; but we love the grand old Republican party also, and rejoice that the convention has given us as second choice a candidate so acceptable as General Garfield.

For the McLean Rocking Chair at P. B. Provost & Son's. ep8dtf

BIG CRITICS VS. LITTLE CRITICS.

A Washington special of Sunday says:

The democrats are beginning to find that the campaign of scandal, which they have commenced against the republican presidential candidate, will not pay, and that they will have to take very much broader ground if they intend to made a serious effort to carry the election. This is the position taken here today by the entire democratic press. The "Sunday Gazette," for instance, the most radical of Bourbon organs, in speaking of the policy of the campaign so far outlined by the democratic press, says that the democrats will have to resort to other means to secure the election of their candidate.

The "Sunday Capital," Donn Piatt, editor, whose hand is very apt to be against every man, in speaking of this subject, and referring to the democratic attempt to slander Gen. Garfield, says: "Gen. Garfield, personally considered, is singularly pure and upright. He is one of the few men in public life who can look his beautiful little wife and lovely children in the face without shame. We say this advisedly, for we have known Garfield intimately all his public life, and we can advise the mud-machines called the partisan press that attempts at blackening Garfield's character will be signal failures, and will be met by protests from such eminent democrats as the Hons. Jeremiah Black, Allen Thurman, and Justice Field, who have already put themselves on record in his behalf. Garfield's purity is so thorough that it gives him a perilous confidence in men, and has gotten him into trouble precisely as a confiding boy gets into scrapes. In that Credit Modilier affair, for example, we know, and have so testified, that at the very time it was claimed he was scheming to enrich himself through Ames' rascality, he was shinning about Washington striving to borrow $3000 to pay house rent, and so ignorant of the commonest financial process that he did not know how to negotiate an ordinary note of hand. He had not only lived in the open air, but has occupied positions where, like other leaders, he could have winked himself into millions. He holds to-day the honored position of being the only poor man among political leaders.

These outgivings are in striking contrast with the buoyant expectations of the mighty man who wields the quill on the columns of the Decatur organ of "the putrid reminiscence." This gallant warrior boldly predicts that the avalanche of slush which he and his coparceners intend to turn loose upon Gen. Garfield will compel the Republican executive committee to take that gentleman off the ticket "inside of eight weeks from this date." How unfortunate for the Democracy that the efforts of this Decatur Boanerges are not given wider scope! What a pity that the Washington editors are not possessed of a little of the powerful billingsgate which this remarkable ex-Republican has in such overabundance! *They* say that all their shafts of abuse will fall harmless at the feet of Garfield; *he* speaks in the most confident terms of his ability to make the Republican standard-bearer hide his very head in shame. *They* say that blackguardism will not win in this campaign; *he* unblushingly boasts that it is *his* sole weapon. *They* know Garfield; *he* don't.

A Democrat on Garfield.

From the Milwaukee Sentinel.

Kinsella, editor of the Brooklyn *Eagle* who sat in Congress with Garfield, several years ago, though a prominent democrat, says: "It would be hard to convince his congressional associates of any party that he is not an honest man in a pecuniary sense." And yet in trying to find something against him, most democratic editors are moving heaven and earth in the endeavor to revive the exploded Credit Mobilier and De Gollyer charges. General Garfield's whole life is sufficient refutation for these stale accusations.

LYMAN TRUMBULL, of Illinois, and James R. Doolittle, of Wisconsin, entered the Senate of the United States about the same time, remained in it about the same time, and left it about the same time. They were both stanch republicans during the rebellion, but both fell from political grace and deserted to the enemy's camp with their chief and leader, Andrew Johnson. The democrats of Wisconsin made a vain attempt to compensate Doolittle for his treachery by nominating him for Governor in 1871, only to see him defeated by Gen. C. C. Washburn by 10,000 majority. Now the democrats of Illinois have taken Judge Trumbull as their standard bearer, and he, too, will be buried under a popular majority of 30,000. The two gentlemen were alike in life, and in death they will not be divided.

THE democratic papers of this state have suddenly suspended their attacks upon Gen. Garfield in connection with the "salary grab." They have come to the conclusion that these attacks are calculated to injure the feelings of ex-Senator Trumbull, who voted for the salary-grab. There are several other democratic leaders who are quite sensitive on this point, including J. C. Robinson, Hon. T. W. McNeeley and scores of others, who might be mentioned.—*State Journal.*

WHENEVER the people of any locality make up their mind to have a Fourth of July celebration they always give out, with a flourish of trumpets, that the celebration is to be an "old fashioned one." When one comes to think of it, an old fashioned celebration could not have been much of an attraction, for it generally consisted of firing an anvil, drinking hard cider, and eating gingerbread.—*Pioneer-Press.*

AN AUTHORITATIVE STATEMENT FROM GOVERNOR SEYMOUR.

He is not and Cannot be a Candidate.

From the Utica Observer of Friday.

An Associated Press dispatch from Syracuse last evening announced that "the *Courier*, to-morrow, will urge the nomination of Horatio Seymour at Cincinnati as one who could beyond doubt carry New York and insure the success of the ticket. Assurances are given that Seymour would not decline if nominated." There is no truth in the suggestion contained in the foregoing that Governor Seymour has in any way changed or modified his position. He says now, as he has said at all times, that he is not and cannot be a candidate, and that he could not accept a nomination even if one were tendered to him. He deems it immoral for any one to enter upon any public office when his health is unequal to the performance of its labors. He alone can judge of this, and cannot yield his decision to the opinions of others. He has never anticipated the possibility of his nomination, and has only regarded the mention of his name as one of the incidents which always mark political speculations before the meeting of a convention. In reply to any complimentary allusions to himself, he has always distinctly and clearly stated his purpose to withdraw from an active part in public affairs, although he felt a deep interest in the success of the party to which he was attached. In stating what he says upon the point, we only repeat his own word since the appearance of the above dispatch in the newspapers, and we do so to meet his views and not our own.

THE DeGolyer pavement "charge" will be shivered and disposed of before the campaign is half over. This much appears to be admitted by all sides: (1) That the argument concerned only the merits of several wooden pavements submitted to the Washington Board of Public Works. (2) That it did not in any way touch upon the price to be paid. (3) That the appropriations for the pavement were made by the District Board, and paid for by taxts levied upon citizens of the District. (4) That, so far as known, none of the pavement was laid down before Government property. Mr. Garfield's statement is as follows:

I went over the whole ground carefully and thoroughly, and prepared a brief on the relative claims of those pavements *for the consideration of the Board.* That was all I did. *I had nothing to do with the terms of the contract; I knew nothing of its conditions,* and I never had a word to say about the *price of the payment.*

J. M. Wilson, a member of the Investigating Committee, wrote to one of Mr. Garfield's constituents as follows:

CONNERSVILLE, IND., Aug. 1, 1874—*The Hon. George Steele*—DEAR SIR: To the request for information as to whether or not the action of Gen. Garfield, in connection with the affairs of the District of Columbia, was the subject of condemnation by the Committee that recently had those affairs under consideration, I answer that it was not; nor was there, in my opinion, any evidence that would have warranted any unfavorable criticism upon his conduct. The facts disclosed by the evidence, so far as he is concerned, are briefly these: The Board of Public Works was considering the question as to the kind of pavements that should be laid. There was a contest as to the respective merits of various wooden pavements. Mr. Parsons represented, as attorney, the DeGolyer & McClelland patent, and, being called away from Washington about the time the hearing was to be had before the Board of Public Works on this subject, procured Gen. Garfield to appear before the Board in his stead and argue the merits of this patent. This he did, and this was the whole of his connection in the matter. It was not a question as to the kind of contract that should be made, but as to whether this particular kind of pavement should be laid. The criticism of the Committee was not upon the *pavement* in favor of which Gen. Garfield argued, but was upon the *contract* made with reference to it; and there was no evidence which would warrant the conclusion that he had anything to do with the latter. Very respectfully, etc.,

J. M. WILSON.

Political Adultery.

The democrats are again trying to form a combination with the Greenbackers in this district and both nominate the same candidate. Such adulterous combinations may be formed. We care not if they are. The republican nominee, J. G. Cannon, can beat any nominee brought out by any such combination.

The republicans of this district are ready to meet the opposition and defeat them in whatever form they may present front, and await the formation of their lines and the opening of the contest.—*Danville News.*

National Democratic Convention.

The Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Railway will sell excursion tickets to the National Convention and Miller's Exhibition at Cincinnati on the following dates: June 1st and 2d, 8th and 9th, 15th and 16th, 20th and 21st, tickets good until June 27th. Rate for the round trip, $8 00.

May 24—dtf

EVERYBODY admits after trying them that Rinehart's Liver Pills are the best; only *one* for a dose. Sample dose *free.* Sold in Decatur by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard. 9-d&w1w

OUR spring stock was never excelled either in quantity, quality or price, and we invite your patronage on the basis of the best goods for the least money. Come and see us if you want your shoes to fit.

27-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

TELEGRAPHIC

WILD WATERS.

The Floods in Wisconsin.

POLITICAL NEWS.

CHICAGO, June 14.—A special from Eau Claire, Wis., says 60,000,000 feet of logs have gone down the broken portion of the dam, besides many houses, barns, etc. The river rose 21 feet reaching the highest point ever known. It began to subside at 8 p. m. yesterday. There are 150,000,000 feet at the big eddy at the Dells dam, which seems likely to break at any moment. The loss in the Chippewa Valley will probably reach $500,000, and if the immense jam moves and allows the entire 250,000,000 feet of logs to pass out it may amount to $1,000,000. Many houses in the lower part of the city are flooded, and there is the greatest excitement among the inhabitants.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., June 13.—A scene of devastation and havoc is to be witnessed on all sides this morning. A portion of the dam at the Dells gave way at midnight, and up to the present time some 60,000,000 feet of logs have gone down, together with a large number of houses, barns, etc. As soon as the jam, which is located about a mile above this city, gave way, the news was telephoned; the fire alarm was sounded, and the hundreds who were on the banks watching the waters soon conveyed the news to every part of the city, and thousands gathered to watch the logs and lumber in their mad career, or to lend assistance to such as needed in removing househould effects from threatened premises. A number of families barely escaped with their lives, being unable to save a single article from their homes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 14.—A number of the delegates from the South arrived here on their way to Cincinnati. They have been in conference with the Senators and members from their respective States with a view to ascertaining what in their judgment was the wisest course for them to pursue in the Convention. They state that nearly all the delegates from the South will go to Cincinnati uninstructed, and are disposed to defer entirely to the Democrats of the North as to the proper persons to be nominated. They state they are perfectly aware that the success of the party rests on the result in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana, and they propose to support the man most likely to carry them. The choice of the large majority of Southern delegates is Senator Bayard, but they will not throw their votes for him unless the delegates from the States above indicated are satisfied that his selection would be the wisest and most judicious. The name of Seymour is very strong throughout the South, and if it is advisable the whole strength of that section can be centered upon him. Mr. Tilden, they say, has very little, if any, following in the South, and they do not believe it will be either wise or prudent to attempt his nomination at this time, if the party has any hope of success in the coming contest.

Notwithstanding the earnest desire of many Democrats in the House and Senate to get away on Wednesday next, there is now a prospect that it will be necessary to extend the time fixed for the final adjournment of Congress to Friday or Saturday of this week. Representative Blount, who, in the absence of Chairman Atkins, is charged with the management of the appropriation bills yet pending, said to-night that there was but a faint prospect of an agreement being reached by Wednesday on the sundry civil and agricultural appropriation bills, which are now in the Conference Committee; that while it was possible for an adjournment to be reached by the close of to-morrow's session, he had but little hope that that would be the case, as many of the points in the controversies in the appropriation bills were of a nature to warrant further delay, and the committee on part of the Senate were not disposed to be rushed in their examination of these questions; that unless greater progress was made than he expected, he would, before the adjournment to-morrow, ask the House to extend the time to Friday or Saturday, as might be deemed best by them.

SPRINGFIELD, June 14.—The Sangamon county republican convention convened in this city to-day. The representation was full and great interest was manifested. The convention, in its deliberations, indicated the party to be in a good and healthy condition. Dr. Wm. Jayne was elected chairman, and Benj. Ives and Dr. Bradbury secretaries. The following ticket was nominated: For circuit clerk, John Upton; for representative in the twenty-second general assembly, D. T. Littler and A. W. Garland; for sheriff, Andrew Kapp; for recorder, Wm. I. Allen; for coroner, E. S. McDermott.

DENVER, June 14.—The *Tribune's* Leadville special says the provost marshal this morning issued orders that all liquor saloons and dance houses close at ten o'clock this morning, and until further orders remain closed; that the assembling of persons in any hall or other place for the discussion of the issues growing out of the present condition of affairs are declared unlawful, or that other weapons except those worn by the militia, or by a permit from general headquarters, is forbidden; all persons except firemen or members of the military on duty, will not be allowed on the streets after ten o'clock p. m. To-day has been very quiet. It is generally thought that all the mines will soon be running with a full force.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., June 14.—The colored people of this city held a meeting this evening to appoint delegates to the state convention which has been called to meet in this city July 20. The object was at once defeated by the meeting voting down a motion to proceed to the election of delegates. Our substantial colored citizens got the idea into their heads that this convention business was the work of designing Democrats, and consequently determined not to permit a delegation to be appointed by any meeting in this city. The meeting adjourned in confusion. If any delegates go from this city to this state convention they will be self-appointed and will represent only themselves.

THE democratic papers have already commenced to slander Gen. Garfield, led by the New York *Sun.* Until the people of the United States get ready to investigate all the silly charges item by item, and to read the irrefragable proofs that refute them, they can rest serenely on these three facts that stand out conspicuously in Gen. Garfield's personal history: (1) The electors of his district, who are as honest, intelligent, and moral as the people of any other congressional district in the Union, have made him the honored successor of Elisha Whittlesey and Joshua R. Giddings for nine consecutive terms in the House of Representatives. (2) The republicans of Ohio last winter elected Gen. Garfield to the United States Senate over some of the purest, ablest, and best men Ohio has ever produced, and after testing him "as by fire" for eighteen years in congress. (3) A few days ago, as capable a National Convention as ever assembled in this country selected Gen. Garfield to be the standard-bearer of the dominant party of the Union over five of the most distinguished and illustrious citizens of the United States, and his nomination is hailed with delight by republicans everywhere from Maine to Texas. Let republicans put in these three overwhelming facts in Mr. Garfield's political history as a general answer until they have time and opportunity to be more specific—*Chicago Tribune.*

GARFIELD has long been in public life, and always economical, yet to-day he is comparatively a poor man. This is one of the best assurances of his honesty and integrity. The freedom with which charges of corruption are made against our best public men is greatly to our discredit. Frequently they cannot be disproved until after the death of the person assailed. Governor O. P. Morton was assailed by the same character of writers who are now assailing Gen. Garfield during all the closing years of his life, even to the day of his death less than twenty-eight thousand dollars. Such facts answer more positively than any words such malignant assaults.

Job Lot

Of Languedoc Laces, good widths and No. 1 goods, equal to the best, at 15 cents per yard. CHEAP STORE.

12-d&w1w

Laces.

We show a very elegant line of Laces, and having large quantities we offer them at unusually low prices.

11-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

Special Notice.

Our stock of Hosiery, Corsets, and Fancy Goods cannot be equaled for quantity, quality, or prices. No similar establishment in the state can boast of a stock of goods such as we display. We carry no dry goods, but we do carry *everything* in the above mentioned branches. Come and see us. CHEAP STORE,

12-d&w2w Sign of the big 18.

MRS. WOOD PEDDECORD has removed her dress-making rooms from on Merchant street to more commodious and comfortable apartments on the second floor, opposite Curtis & Ewing's jewelry store, formerly occupied by Mrs. S. A. Jones. Mrs. Peddecord's patrons and friends will please make a note of this fact.

May 22—d2m

Don't Forget

That we show the largest and best assorted stock of Corsets in central Illinois. We buy our corsets direct from the manufacturer, carry no inferior corset, and sell none but what we warrant to be perfect every way. CHEAP STORE.

12-d&w1w

Mt. Olive Nut Coal.

Just the coal for cooking, nicely screened, at $3 per ton, delivered. Leave orders at Ashby & Andress, or at the yard of J. H. VENNEMANN HOLZ.

April 28-d2m

Berries.

Persons wishing raspberries by the case can be supplied by leaving their orders at any grocery in town, or by notifying me. Leave your orders in time so that they can be filled with fresh berries when the supply is on hand. L. A. DRAKE.

June 8-dtf

New Ice Cream Parlor.

We have opened in connection with our restaurant an Ice Cream Parlor, where ladies and gentlemen will be served with ice cream, lemonade and cake, in quality and style equal to any in the city.

Parties furnished cream by the gallon at very low rates.

BOYD BROS.,
June15-d1m South of Court House.

NOTICE.

CITY REGISTER'S OFFICE, Decatur, Ill., June 14, 1880.

Sealed proposals will be received up to July 1st, 1880, to furnish coal for Decatur water works, city offices, hose houses and calaboose. Coal to be delivered. G. P. HARDY, City Register.

June14-6tw

YOU WILL DO WELL TO SEE!

Our New Goods; our house is full, and at prices that will surprise and please you. You have heard very much about the great advance in prices; and, while this is true in some kinds of goods, the great majority of them ARE AS LOW AS EVER THEY WERE. We will duplicate the lowest prices ever touched in Table Linens, Napkins, &c., commencing on all Linen Table Linen at 25 cents, the lowest price we have ever had in pure linen; and as good a Linen Napkin at 75, 90 and $1.00, as we have ever had. We show the same LINEN TOWEL at 10c, and same old numbers at the old prices.

We have a beautiful stock of Fans and Parasols, Ribbons, Embroideries, Laces of all kinds, Ties, Ruching, Fichus, Kid Gloves in 2, 3, 4 and 6 button; all our old makes of Corsets AT THE OLD PRICES; ladies' and men's Gauze Underwear; as handsome Hosiery for ladies and children as you ever saw; 50 varieties of Ladies' and Children's Lisle and Lace Top Lisle Gloves; Black and Tinted Silk Mitts. We show Summer Silks from 50c upward; the best Black Silks at $1.25, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00, IN THE CITY; Beautiful Lawns at 8, 10 to 15c; Handsome Linen Lawns, Plain and Lace Buntings, Elegant Pique, Embroidered Swiss, Plain Swiss, Victoria Lawns, Nainsooks, in fact all the new novelties in White Goods. We have handsome Talmas and Jackets, Linen and Mohair Dusters, Summer Skirts, Shetland Shawls, &c. Our stock of all kinds of goods is large. WE GUARANTEE THEM TO BE AS LOW AS THEY ARE IN THE UNITED STATES, and invite all to come and see them.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

May 12—d&wtf.

FAST TRAIN EAST!

By Leaving Decatur at 5 a. m. via the

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y,

Passengers arrive at Terre Haute at 12:50 p. m., connecting with the

NEW FAST TRAIN on the VANDALIA

LINE, which arrives at INDIANAPOLIS 3:50 p. m., and at NEW YORK and CITIES EAST

Two to Three Hours Sooner

than by any other line.

Through tickets on sale at Union Depot and at foot of Main-st.

A. E. SHRADER, Traffic Manager.

June7-d&w1m

15 Children's Carriages!

AT ACTUAL COST.

3 Baby Sleeping Coaches!

13 REFRIGERATORS.

10 WATER COOLERS.

20 Gasoline Stoves with Noiseless Burners.

20 Sets Croquet--Cheap.

All the above must be CLOSED OUT to make room for other Goods, at

LIDDLE'S

Mammoth Stores,

COURT HOUSE BLOCK.

Feb. 5—d&wtf

WARNER'S SAFE KIDNEY & LIVER CURE

A vegetable preparation and the **only sure remedy** in the world for **Bright's Disease, Diabetes, and ALL Kidney, Liver and Urinary Diseases.**

Testimonials of the highest order in proof of these statements.

For the cure of **Diabetes,** call for **Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure.**

For the cure of **Bright's** and the other diseases, call for **Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure.**

Warner's Safe Remedies are sold by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine everywhere.

H. H. WARNER & CO., Proprietors, Rochester, N. Y.

Send for Pamphlet and Testimonials.

NOTICE.

CITY REGISTER'S OFFICE, Decatur, Ill., June 14, 1880.

Sealed proposals will be received up to July 1st, 1880, to do the city printing for a term ending April 1st, 1881. G. P. HARDY, City Register.

June14-d1w

CHEAP EXCURSION!

—TO—

SPRINGFIELD,

WEDNESDAY, June 16, '80.

Over the WABASH.

Lowest Rates Ever Offered.

Leaves DECATUR at 7 a. m., arriving in Springfield at 8:40 a. m. Returning leaves SPRINGFIELD at 9:15 o'clock p. m. Ample time is given for visiting the STATE HOUSE, with its many attractions, Lincoln Monument, Oak Ridge Cemetery, Oak Ridge Park, Reservoir Park, Steel and Iron Works, Watch Factory, and many other places of interest, besides

The Races,

At the Fair Grounds, where some of the most noted

RUNNING, TROTTING and PACING HORSES from Kentucky, Missouri, Illinois and other States, will engage in contests of speed upon

Two of the Fastest Tracks in the Country

Fast Time may be Expected.

FARE—For Round Trip, 75 Cents.

Tickets for sale at the Wabash Ticket Office.

June2-dtd

RHEUMATIC CURE NEVER FAILS.

Dr. BOSANKO'S PILE REMEDY AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

TESTIMONY.

The Cashier of the First National Bank, Troy, O., says:

TROY, O., December 20, 1879.

DR. BOSANKO MEDICINE CO., Piqua, O.:

Gentlemen—I was troubled with Rheumatism last spring in the acute form so badly that I was unable to use my hand. Through the recommendations of my friends, I was induced to try your Rheumatic Cure which immediately began to soothe, comfort, and allay the pain, and in a short time I was relieved of this distressing disease. I take great pleasure in recommending this valuable remedy to those similarly afflicted.

Yours respectfully, JNO. L. MEREDITH.

These Remedies speak for themselves. To try them is to be cured. If you can not get them of your druggist, by remitting us $5.00 we will send you four bottles of the Rheumatic Cure, or one of the Pile Remedy, by express prepaid. Give plain directions for shipment.

FREE.—Dr. Bosanko's Treatise on Rheumatism and Piles sent on application.

Address

THE DR. BOSANKO MEDICINE CO., PIQUA, OHIO.

For Sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, DRUGGISTS, DECATUR.

May 16 d6m

Notice in Bankruptcy---No. 1764.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In the matter of Jacob H. Gross, Bankrupt.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Jacob H. Gross, of Niantic, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupt, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims payable under said act, and that the

15th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. H. CONVERSE, Clerk.

HARVEY PASCO, Att'y for Petitioner.

Dated at Springfield, June 8th, A. D., 1880.

9-d1w

TO THE PUBLIC.

I AM PREPARED TO PURCHASE FOR citizens of Decatur,

Oats, Corn, Hay, Wood

ETC., BY THE LOAD.

Orders left at my store will be filled as promptly as possible. Charges reasonable.

Nov. 24—dtf V. H. PARKE.

WANTED--

All kinds of Old Furniture and Housekeeping Goods in any quantity. Full value given by Tom Hughes and John Jackson, at

LIDDLE'S, Court House Block

April 5—d&wtf

The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 15, 1880.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce DR. J. H. AXTON, of Maroa, as a candidate for representative from the 29th senatorial district, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention

WE are authorized to announce JOHN H. MAUZY as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce EDMISTON MCCLELLAN as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM W. FOSTER as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce GEORGE P. HARDY as a candidate for circuit clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN IRWIN as a candidate for the office of Circuit Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY W. DAVIS, of Long Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

A NEW lot of Baby Carriages, all styles and prices, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

CUCUMBERS, three for 25 cents

SUDDEN change in the weather.

DON'T eat too much green fruit.

BARNUM will visit Decatur next fall.

THESE are fly times, and no mistake.

75 CENTS to Springfield and return, tomorrow.

BAPTIST sociable at E. A. Gastman's residence this evening. Be there.

MILAM'S bread is always fresh and pure and sweet. 14-dtf

MANILLA hats, good for three seasons, retail at $4.50 and $5.00. Have one?

SEE change of time of running trains on the Midland railway.

THE stone curbing is in place for that new brick walk to be put down in front of court house block.

SCREEN doors and windows have blossomed in all well-regulated dwellings, and mighty nice inventions they are, too.

BUY fresh bread every day at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

THE polar wave struck us last night, and many cold-blooded men appeared on the streets this morning wearing their heavy clothing and spring overcoats.

WOMAN'S Foreign Missionary Society sociable at the residence of Mrs Moses Stafford, on East Eldorado street, tonight. You are invited to be present.

PHYSICIANS' prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours, day or night, at the Morgan street Drug store.
june8 dtf

THE demand for vegetables is on the increase, and penurious boarding house keepers are reported to be unusually crabbed and unhappy.

A SPLENDID assortment of Camp Chairs, of late patterns, at Ashby & Andress'.
June 5—dtf

EVERY one is invited to attend the Gospel services held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms each Tuesday evening. A special invitation to young men and strangers. Rooms, 26 Merchant-st., up stairs.

CHEW Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler. dtf

THE lot owners of Greenwood Cemetery will petition the city council to supply the city of the dead with water from the main, the stockholders agreeing to pay $3 per annum for all water used.

PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWER—Best and cheapest in the world, sold by V. H. Parke. may17d2mo

THERE was one fatal case of sunstroke at Peoria on Saturday last. The victim, a carpenter by occupation, was on a big drunk and was gyrating about the streets when Old Sol laid him out. He died inside of fifteen minutes.

LIVELY races at Springfield this week. Rates over the Wabash from Decatur 75 cents for the round trip.

THE democrats of the town of South Macon have reorganized a club of forty members, with Jacob Frick as president. The republicans there, as elsewhere in the county, are always organized, and will be up and at the mossbacks this fall as they have been in the past.

THE Centennial Refrigerator for sale at Ashby & Andress'. Call and see it.
June 5—dtf

A LARGE number of diseases are caused by a disordered liver. Use Dr. Marshall's Bromoline, the great Liver Regulator, and be cured. Sold by Decatur druggists.
15d&w1w

Do you want work? Do you want help? Do you want to borrow money? Do you want to loan money? Have you a house to rent? Do you want to rent a house? Do you want to buy Western lands? If so call at the Intelligence Office of Miller & Davison, 20 East Main street, Decatur.
15-d1*

FACT, Milam's new process bread has no superior. 24-dtf

REDUCE your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker. d&wtf

THE W., St. L. & P. R'y, under the pushing management of King Gould, is constantly adding to its rolling stock. The latest of note are five passenger cars which have just been completed for the company by Barney Smith & Co. of Dayton. They are described as high and roomy, 54 feet long, and capable of seating 64 people, and a very desirable innovation and improvement, with toilet accommodations, comprising marble stands and bowls, elegant baskets and trimmings of copper bronze, the outside painting, in one case, being done in "chocolate, gold, blue, pink and wine color; the others presenting different styles of richness and coloring. The cost of these cars is stated at $6,000 each.

THERE was a general big scare in all parts of the city last evening when the heavy black and green storm clouds hung low over the greater portion of the town The air grew suddenly cool and the wind shifted and blew around the corners of buildings with alarming force, For a while it looked as if Decatur was at last to be visited by a destructive storm. But thanks to the ruler of storms, the shifting clouds heavy with rain, passed over and away. A number of parties out buggy riding hurried home as speedily as possible to escape the threatened storm, and came out again later in the evening.

IT now appears from Marshalltown, Iowa, papers at hand that at the firemen's tournament, which occurred there last week, the Muscatine hose and hook and ladder companies, each carried off the first prize, having made the best time and best coupling. Charley and Frank Winebrenner trained the members of the two Muscatine companies for the races, and both are highly praised by the papers referred to. The prize money amounted to nearly $400, including the state championship belts. Frank Winebrenner arrived home last night.

ON yesterday a young man named Chas. Paine, was thrown from a buggy to which was attached a runaway horse, and sustained injuries which will cripple him for awhile. In the fall his left hip was dislocated, and it is feared that one or more bones are fractured. Paine was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, and will be treated by the hospital surgeons. Paine and his companions had procured the horse and buggy at the St. Nicholas livery. The buggy was badly damaged.

THE Illinois Central railway company will sell excursion tickets to the Wesleyan University Jubilee at Bloomington, June 16th, for $2.00 for the round trip. Sale will commence June 15th, and tickets will be good to return on the 18th. Gen. Grant will be present. Litta will sing several selections, and addresses will be delivered by Dr. Thomas, of Chicago; Bishop Andrews, of Des Moines; Bishop Merrill, of Chicago, and Bishop Bowman, of St Louis. [June12dtd

THE first cheap pleasant excursion of the summer season over the Wabash to Niagara Falls, under the management of Mr. E. H. Ayer, took place to-day, the train leaving the Union depot at 11.40 a. m. About twenty tickets were sold to parties residing in Decatur and vicinity at $7 50 each, giving two full days at the falls. Among those from Decatur who took advantage of the low rates were Messrs. M. Eison, O. Z. Green, J. A. Close and Lewey Griswold.

CALVIN BOAKE, formerly with D. F. Hamsher, has opened a Wagon and Repair Shop on Jackson street, between William and Prairie, and is prepared to manufacture farm and spring wagons on short notice, in the very best workmanlike manner, at reasonable terms Also, painting and striping, general repair work, etc. Give him a call.
June 15-d&w1m*

SPRINGFIELD Excursion and Races, the cheapest ride of the season to Springfield and return, only 75 cts. Tickets for sale at the St. Nicholas Hotel, Priest House, Abbott & Co.'s, Henry Smith's drug store and the Wabash ticket office. Ohio, Missouri and Illinois horses on the grounds. Train leaves the Union depot at 7 a. m. to-morrow.

THE Greenbackers of this congressional district will meet in delegate convention at Tolono, on Friday, July 16th, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress. The Macon county delegates to that convention are John Vangundy, of Milam, J. S. Outland, of Warrensburg, J. A. Knotts, of Decatur township.

IT is rumored on the streets that during the dog days another banking house will be opened in Decatur in the Haworth building which is now being remodelled and improved, but whether there is any foundation for the talk or who the parties are who will handle the cash, we have so far been unable to learn.

H. F. MAY & SON'S mules attached to the grocery delivery wagon took a notion to run away yesterday afternoon, and after a lively jaunt they were caught and placed under control. Will Sparr, the driver, had a narrow escape from serious injury.

Now that the time of holding the county convention is decided, there is comparative peace among the candidates, and some of them are doing their level best preparing to receive a section of the day of judgment.

THE Good Templars of Lodge No. 364, had a well-attended and very interesting meeting last night. There were two initiations. It was voted that the lodge give an entertainment and festival, at the tabernacle, Friday evening, June 25th.

You can get a drink of filtered river water at the fountain in the park. But small boys are notified that the basin is not a bathing pool.

Attention, Decatur Guards!

You are hereby ordered to appear at your armory on Wednesday evening, June 16, at 8 o'clock, sharp, in full uniform. Business of importance will be transacted. By order of

W. W. FOSTER, Capt. Com'd'g.
J. G STAUFFER, O. S.

Read This.

James Hollinger has got one of those barber clipping machines that will cut the hair any length desired. Come one, come all, and try it. No grand donations, but good work guaranteed every time.
1d JAMES HOLLINGER, Barber.

FOR constipation, costiveness, or biliousness, try a bottle of Dr. Marshall's Bromoline, warranted to cure. Sold by Decatur druggists. [15-d&w1w

SOFT NUT COAL an dry stove wood at McClelland's coal yard.
May 17-dtf

CELEBRATED COMBINATION LOCKS.

Inventions of Wm. H. Bramble, of Decatur—A Brief Description of His Latest Door Lock.

Decatur and vicinity is the abiding place of the many well-known inventors, but probably the most noted inventions—one whose locks are in use in nearly every city of any size in the country—is Mr. Wm. H. Bramble, who resides on Cemetery street. In 1864 his attention was called to the necessity of lock boxes for postoffice use, and he gave the matter of inventing a suitable combination lock for that purpose his immediate attention.—His work completed, he visited Washington to obtain a patent on the lock, and his application for a patent on a combination lock for postoffice boxes, was the first filed in the Patent Office. By a combination of circumstances it would take too much time and space to explain satisfactorily, Mr. Bramble's postoffice lock was never placed on the market, but he receives a yearly royalty on those manufactured by the Yale company in use in the United States and Europe. Mr. Bramble's success in the postoffice box invention caused him to turn his attention to inventing combination door and padlocks, in which undertaking he has been remarkably successful.

His combination door locks, five in number, manufactured by Russell, Erwin & Co., of Connecticut, and sold by all first-class hardware dealers everywhere, have attained a world-wide reputation, one of them being awarded the first premium at the Paris Exposition of 1878. Each lock has a different combination, and the forms are neat and ornamental. The combination padlocks are burglar-proof, are solid as iron, and cannot be broken by heavy pounding. The door locks are in general use in Decatur, and are greatly preferred to all other inventions.

A NEW DOOR LOCK.

Mr. Bramble has very recently invented a new and handsome combination door lock, which is now on exhibition at Close, Griswold's & Co.'s hardware store, where his other inventions are displayed, that the people may see what a Decatur man has done in the line of furnishing the country with safety locks. The latest lock embraces all that it takes to make a first-class door lock—its novelty, simplicity, cheapness, durability and adaptation for all kinds of doors, readily recommending itself to the public. The most novel feature of this invention is that the *lock* is located in the knobs, and the simplicity of locking and unlocking. The lock can be used—first, as a door latch; 2d, as a night latch; and 3rd, as a dead lock It's mode of locking and unlocking is this: Insert the key into the keyhole in the face of the outside knob; this throws back the bolt, unlocking the door; withdraw the key and the door is locked. At all times the inside knob is left free to turn at will and throw back the bolt, making a complete spring night latch, one which we predict will come in general use throughout the country. It requires no cutting or fitting of locks, or making keyholes in the outside of the door. When the lock is placed on the door, the lock is in the knob, and the bolt or latch is on the inside of the door. It is right or left hand, and can be placed on a door of any thickness—from one to four inches.

New Telephone Takers.

Manager Getty informs us that the Bell Telephone boom is moving along briskly, and that the new improved instruments are being put in position as rapidly as possible. The telephone institution is a fixture in Decatur. Among the new subscribers are:

F. M. Garver, Grocer.
Henry Lyon, "
J. Millikin & Co., Bankers.
Close, Griswold & Co, Hardware Dealers.
L. L. Haworth, residence.
Geo. D. Haworth, "
Jas W. Haworth, "

Going, Going, Gone!

The great auction sale of $20,000 worth of jewelry and silverware is now fairly under way at No. 24 Merchant street.—During the sale hours yesterday and today the room was crowded with an eager throng of willing purchasers anxious to obtain the goods put up at their own price. The sale moves along smoothly and pleasantly under the management of Burt & Bruce, the gentlemanly auctioneers, and everybody's bid is quickly noticed and remembered. The display of watches, clocks, stylish and novel jewelry, silverware, etc., is quite imposing and varied. The sales begin every day at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., and the room is thrown open at 9 a. m. of each day that the public may inspect the stock before buyin

Lost.

In this city, on Saturday last, a large bill book, containing papers and receipts of no value to any one except the owner, Wm. A. Dennis, who will pay a suitable reward for return of both to this office.

Sociable.

A sociable will be held on Tuesday evening, June 15, at the house of Moses Stafford, No. 38, East Eldorado street, under the auspices of the W. F. M. S. of the M. E. Church. A cordial welcome is extended to all, old and young.
2d MAGGIE E. CRISSEY, Sec.

Extract of Report

From the celebrated Physician, Erasmus Wilson, of London, England: "Several severe cases of incipient consumption have come under my observation that have been cured by the timely use of Colden's Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef and Tonic Invigorator."
June 14-d&w1w

Boy Wanted,

To do all kinds of work about a restaurant, at MILLER'S. 7-dtf

REFRIGERATORS, all sorts and prices, at Ashby & Andress'.
March 6-dtf

Summoned Home.

DIED—In this city, at her home on North Main street, of inflammation of the bowels, on Monday, June 14th, 1880, at 2 p. m., MERCY EDITH, younger daughter of Luther L. and Ruth K. Ferriss, in the 7th year of her age.

The funeral will take place from St. John's Episcopal church, at 6:30 o'clock this (Tuesday) evening. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

About two weeks ago the deceased ate too freely of unripe fruit, and immediately after she was taken suddenly and dangerously ill. The family physician was hastily summoned to her relief, but while his skilled treatment and the loving care of father and mother prolonged her life and at times inspired hope in the hearts of the parents that the little sufferer would finally recover, still all efforts proved of no avail, and she quietly passed away to the better world.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Al. H. Locke, merchant at La Place, was in the city to-day.

Vin. R. Andrus, of Bloomington, was at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

Gladden Gorin got home from Missouri last night at 10:40 o'clock.

George says Remley & Brown's bath tickets are going off like hot buckwheat cakes in January.

Henry Harris, proprietor of the Decatur shirt factory, is home from a business trip to Philadelphia.

Lewey Griswold left for Albion, N. Y., this noon, in company with his uncle, J. A. Close.

Hon. B. K. Durfee got a touch of the sore eyes while at Springfield, the other day, flirting with Phocion Howard and the Brigadiers in the state house.

James Prestley and Will Scudder have gone to the neighborhood of Kankakee, on a fishing and hunting excursion. Will Prestley will endeavor to fill James' place at Hubbard's drug store during his brother's absence.

Messrs. Thomas and Geo. Starr, press agents of Barnum's Greatest Show on Earth, &c., informs us that the Great and only Barnum show will visit this city in September, on their way from St Louis east.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus C. Crocker and children left for the East this noon, over the Wabash railway. The children will be left in charge of a sister of Mrs. Crocker at Lafayette, Ind., and she and her husband will proceed on their journey to points of interest in New York state where they will remain until the latter part of August before returning home. They will climb the Catskill mountains, hunting all the cool spots.

John B Lunsford, who was born and raised in Macon county, will leave for Georgetown, Williamson county, Texas, this evening, where he will endeavor to the best of his ability to amass a reasonable proportion of this world's goods as an honest tiller of the soil. John's brother Tom went to Texas about 15 months ago, but the climate of that country has not agreed with him, and he is reported quite ill. John is a noble Grenadier, and his comrades wish him every success in the state and county of his adoption.

MARRIED.

By Rev. A. C. Armentrout, on Tuesday, June 15, 1880, at 1½ o'clock, p. m., at the residence of the bride's grandparents, No. 1 East Eldorado street, MR. FRANK BOYD and MISS IDA HAMSHER, both of Decatur.

Mr. Boyd and bride departed for St. Louis this afternoon, to be absent a short time.

By Rev. Dr. Goodwin, at the parsonage of the 1st M. E. church, June 15th, MR. JOHN P. KEITH and MRS. MARY C. WIGER, all of Macon county.

The Commercial.

A. H. Varney's Commercial Hotel, pleasantly located at the southeast corner of the city park, will be thrown open for business to-morrow morning. The hotel, which will include 24 neat and well ventilated rooms, elegantly furnished, will become one of the most popular public houses in the city. Mr. Varney, having a long experience in the hotel business, is a prince of caterers, and will set a splendid table. Special attention will be given to the accommodation of day-boarders, and all the patrons of the hotel will be given the best there is going. Give the Commercial a trial.

A Card to the Public.

Whereas, it has come to my knowledge that some ill-disposed persons are seeking to convey the impression that I am not carefully conducting my business within the letter as well as in the spirit of the law, I take this occasion to assure all fair-minded men that the reports in circulation in this regard are without foundation in fact. I would be pleased to have the city council, as guardians of peace and good order, demonstrate the sincerity of this statement by a visit at any time, as what can be seen in one day is neither more or less than can be seen any day during which the sale of liquor is lawful at my place of business.

DAN W. JONES,
Boss of the Bank.

No Goods Exchanged.

We do not find any one who is willing to buy goods of us that are not perfect, and in good order. And as in many cases there appears to be a difference of opinion as to whether goods are damaged or not, we cannot exchange goods when sold, when the mistake is with the purchaser LINN & SCRUGGS.
June6'80-dtf

FROM A RELATIVE OF WILLIAM PRESCOTT, THE HISTORIAN.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 13, 1880.

H. H. WARNER & Co.—GENTS—I shall not cease to recommend your Safe Kidney and Liver Cure to the patronage of all my friends, who are afflicted as I was, with that terrible and dangerous disease, Bright's Disease of the Kidneys. It cured me completely.

With great respect, thy friend,
JAS. H. PRESCOTT.

For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist.
june10-d&w2w

TRY the Leon Isaac's Steel Pen; every one perfect. Sold only by J. M. Stookey & Co. [Apr 14-d&wtf

EDUCATIONAL NEWS.

A Fresh Batch of Paragraphs from the Pen of the County Superintendent—Personal and Otherwise.

A brief analysis of the first week's work of Macon County Institute will be sent to all who desire it in a few days.

All persons desiring to attend the Institute should send name and address to the county superintendent, that he may the better perfect his arrangements for a successful session.

G. J. Culbertson will do public whipping at Macon as principal of the schools at that prosperous little village.

Samuel McBride succeeds Prof. John C. Nicholls at Blue Mound.

Solon Royal will be his own successor at Maroa.

Wm. H. Givler will follow J. C. McMillan at Forsyth.

In many schools there is a disposition to pay better wages this year than last. We have heard of one school in which the directors have doubled the wages of last year, and quite a number have engaged the teacher at an advance of five to ten dollars on the month. So far we have not heard of any reduction for the year.

Please do not get alarmed when you read the following conclusion of a twelve months' deliberation, viz: We have concluded that the standard of examination *must* be raised! We are not able to say *when*, but will again invite suggestions from all parties interested. We are of the opinion that the minimum for second grade should not be less than seventy per cent., and the average eighty per cent; the minimum for first grade should not be below eighty per cent., and the average ninety per cent The preceding is only our own private opinion after consulting over fifty of our leading teachers. Do not understand us to say that the grades mentioned will be adopted, but let us have *your* opinion.

Dr. W. H. Adams resigns as president of the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington. Dr. J M. Gregory follows suit as Regent of the Industrial University at Champaign.

The impression has gained some circulation to the effect that no attention will be given to methods of instruction in our County Normal this year. We wish to correct this by announcing that *more* attention than usual will be devoted to this most essential necessity of our schools. One reason why we do not propose to do the whole book is simply on account of this fact. An experience of two years' work in this county has fully convinced us that we need more help in this direction. TRAINER.

TEACHERS' MEETING.

Meeting held at Decatur, June 5, 1880.

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

Mr. E. B. Smith discussed "How to Teach Primary Grammar."

Prof. Philbrook conducted a recitation in mathematical geography.

Mr. Brown's resignation as editor of "Educational Column" and member of committee on Teachers' Library was accepted.

Mr. McBride was elected editor of "Educational Column," and Miss Durfee member of committee on Teachers' Library

Programme for next meeting as follows:

Drill in Elementary Sounds —Mr. Mountz.

Reading—Mr. McBride.

Straight Line Analysis in Arithmetic—Mr. Trainer.

On motion adjourned.

S. MCBRIDE, Sec.

BEWARE OF MALARIA.

The prevalence of malarial diseases in country and town indicates a danger to which we are all exposed. These diseases are easy to contract and hard to eradicate. But Warner's Safe Pills neutralize the poison and cure them. They are equally effective against all billous troubles. For sale by W. C. Armstrong, druggist. june10-d&w2w

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to
may10-d&wtf] LINN & SCRUGGS'.

THE largest stock of Parlor Suits ever shown in Decatur are now in the show room at Ashby & Andress'. If you don't need one, call and see them. It will do you good to look at them.
June 5-dtf

A Good Family Horse for Sale.

I have a splendid driving horse, color black, style and speed good, and gentle as anybody could wish, which I will sell for $200. "Black Frank" has been driven about the streets of Decatur for the past three years, and is perfectly safe in charge of a child J. R. RACE.
10 d1w

Wanted,

A cook, also a man or boy to take charge of dining room at Barnes & Bro's restaurant, 25 East Main street. d2

THE first grand excursion of the season over the Wabash road to Niagara Falls and other popular summer resorts in that neighborhood, will leave Decatur on Tuesday, June 15. Fare for the round trip from Decatur, $7.50, giving two full days at the Falls. Train will leave Decatur at 11:50 a. m., June 15 8 dtd

PURE drugs, medicines, paints, oils, etc., at bottom prices at the Morgan street Drug Store. june8 dtf

Wanted!

All kinds of old furniture and household goods, in exchange or for cash. Will pay more than any other house in the city. New furniture, glass and queensware at prices to defy competition We have no rents to pay, and can give our customers the benefit of the same. Give me a call before either selling or buying elsewhere. HOUSTON,
East side City Park, old Revere House
April 16-dtf

Ice!

Leave orders for Muffit's crystal ice at S. T. Keeler's Hat Store, No. 20 East Main street, May 3-dtf

Great Bargains

—IN—

NEW GOODS!

800 dozen Ladies' and Gents' Linen Handkerchiefs will be opened this week and sold at half their value.

500 pieces New Prints, at 6 cents, now open.

1000 dozen Ladies,' Men's and Children's Hosiery, from the best goods down, to 5c a pair.

3000 pieces Handsome New Ribbons, at 10 and 15 cents, worth 20 and 30c.

Black Silks and Black Cashmeres, cheaper than you can buy them anywhere.

Bleached and Brown Muslins, at and under New York wholesale prices.

300 pieces Ginghams, at 10c, worth 12½c.

Table Linens and Napkins, at old prices.

Ladies' Kids, at 35c a pair.

Handsome Ruchings, Bows and Scarfs.

1000 pieces Hamburg Embroideries, at extremely low prices.

A splendid assortment of Laces and Dress Trimmings.

Imported and American Dolmans, Mantles, Circulars and Jackets.

An Elegant Assortment of

DRESS GOODS

VERY CHEAP.

Cretonnes in very handsome styles and colorings.

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in greater variety, better goods and lower prices than can be obtained anywhere.

A Large, New and Elegant Assortment of

CARPETS!

and be CAREFUL to NOTE the FACT that we buy exclusively of the manufacturers and importers, and that in view of OUR LARGE SALES IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE, we conduct this branch of our business with very little additional expense, and therefore can afford to SELL BELOW all competitors.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

March 18, 1880-dkw tf

WE would like to keep in the mind of EVERY ONE the fact of our stock being SUPERIOR in both quality and quantity to any in the city. Our sales are such as to enable us to offer everything NEW as fast as it comes out and at prices lower than those whose purchases are much smaller than ours. We can always offer you a "SELECTION" in ANYTHING in our line and at prices we will guarantee cannot be beaten in Illinois.

We are the SOLE AGENTS here for the celebrated "ROCKFORD QUICK TRAIN WATCHES," the standard "GORHAM STERLING SOLID SILVERWARE," as well as the "GORHAM PLATED TABLE WARE;" also, "KING'S COMBINATION CRYSTAL" SPECTACLES.

We are always glad to show our Goods and have their quality and our prices compared to any in Decatur or anywhere. By giving us a call you will find OUR ADVERTISEMENT always true to the letter. Respectfully,

CURTIS & EWING,

JEWELERS,

17 E. MAIN ST., DECATUR, ILL.

April 3-d&wtf

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HAT STORE!

STRAW HATS! STRAW HATS!

LARGE STOCK!

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NO. 20 EAST MAIN STREET

May 22—d&w3mos

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NO CHANGE OF CARS FROM

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Don't accept any ticket UNLESS IT READS OVER THE

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express ... 7.00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line ... 4.45 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail ... 6:05 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express ... 10.15 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express ... 11:50 a. m
" 6 Accommodation ... 7.00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.

Going East ... 9.15 a. m
Going West ... 1.15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express 6:30 a. m
" 43 Fast Line 4:10 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail 5:35 p. m
Freight. 7.30 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express 10.25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express 11:10 a. m
" 46 Accommodation 9.15 p. m
" 54 Passenger Freight 5.10 a. m

☞ For Routes, Rates, Land Maps of the Western Country, and any information you may desire in regard to going West, please address

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Or K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent Decatur.

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TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
No. 3.	No. 1		No. 2.	No 4.
7,00 am	4,10 pm	Decatur.	3,8 pm	10,00 pm
8:17 "	5,02 "	Mt Pulaski	2,17 "	5,45 "
8,52 "	5,28 "	Lincoln	2,23 "	7,53 "
9,50 "	6,11 "	Delavan	1,41 "	6,50 "
10,35 "	6,65 "	Pekin	1,10 "	5,15 "
11,30 "	7,20 "	Peoria	12,30 "	5,00 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1878.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 21, 1878.

On and after to-day, until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger ... 10.05 a. m
Passenger ... 6.35 p m
Freight ... 9.20 a m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger ... 7:00 a m
Passenger ... 3.20 p m
Freight ... 4:30 "

E. F. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, June 11th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger ... 8.00 a. m.
Mail and Express ... 4.20 p. m.
Local Freight ... 8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express ... 11.35 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive 9.00 p. m.
Local Freight, depart ... 7.30 a. m.

Passengers leaving Decatur at 8 o'clock a. m. arrive at Indianapolis at 3:45 p. m.

N. E. ADAMS, Agent.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of two special executions to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, one in favor of John A. Myers, and one in favor of Bryant Nowlin and against the estate of Jos. B. Myers, deceased, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Thirty-five (35) acres (reserving and excepting three (3) acres in said thirty-five (35) acres, on which a burying ground is located), and one (1) acre for a railroad), in the north part of the east half of the southwest quarter of sec. twenty-six (26), town sixteen [16] north, range three, [3] east of the 3rd P. M., situated in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the estate of Jos. B. Myers, deceased, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 22d day of May, A. D. 1880.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Illinois.
May 25-d3w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the County Court of Macon Co., Ill., in favor of A. W. [illegible], for use of Thomas A. Pritchett, and against J. D. Brisman and Jesse Lockhart, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots 1 and 2 of west half of west half of the southeast quarter, sec. No. twenty-five (25) township No. 16, north range 1 west of the 3d P. M.; lot 1 contains 9 & 92-100 acres. lot 2 contains 9 & 92-100 acres, more or less. Taken as property of the said Jesse Lockhart, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur, Macon county, in said state, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 15th day of May A. D. 1880.

M. FORSTMYER.
May 17—d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address STINSON & Co. Portland Maine. Nov11d&w1y*

THE READY FAMILY SOAP MAKER:

LEWIS' LYE

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The best **disinfectant.**
The following are some of the **advantages** obtained by using Lewis' 98 Per Cent. Powdered Lye:

First. It is packed in an iron can with a slip or removable lid, **easily taken off** and leaving the contents exposed, thereby saving the trouble, annoyance, and danger (from **flying particles**), as with **other** Lyes, which, being solid in the cans, must be broken with a hammer to get the Lye out.
Second. It being a **fine powder**, you can remove the lid and pour out all the contents, being **always ready for use.**
Third. A teaspoonful or more can be used, as in water-softening, scrubbing, etc., and the lid returned to the can, and thereby save the balance of contents. With other Lyes all must be dissolved at once and used in a short time, or the strength is gone.
Fourth. Absolute *purity*. Free from all adulterations.
Fifth. The best Soap can be made in from ten to twenty minutes with this Lye.
Sixth. No failure is possible in making Soap with this Lye when the simple directions given are followed.
Seventh. One can of this Powdered Lye is equal to twenty pounds of Sal Soda or Washing Soda.
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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, James M. Bell and Nancy L Bell, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust convey to Charles A. Ewing, trustee of same residence, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Twenty-five (25) feet off the south side of lot five (5), eight (8) feet off the north side of lot six (6) and thirty-three by fifty (33x50) feet of lot seven (7), described as follows, to-wit: commencing thirty-two (32) feet from the southwest corner of lot seven (7), thence east fifty (50) feet, thence north thirty-three (33) feet, thence west fifty (50) feet, thence south thirty-three (33) feet to place of beginning, all in block three (3) of the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section five (5), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section eight (8), in township fifteen (15) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, in trust, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes given by the said James M. Bell and one Jesse Greenfield, of even date therewith—one of said notes for two thousand five hundred and ninety dollars, payable seven months after date to J. Millikin & Co., at the banking house of J. Millikin & Co., and the other of said notes payable to the same parties at the same place, and for a like amount twelve months after date, both with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date, value received, and upon which notes there is due this April, 22d, A. D. 1880, five thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars and ten cents ($5,525.10)

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in the payment of either interest or principal of said indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, then said trustee shall sell and dispose of said premises according to the provisions of said deed of trust;

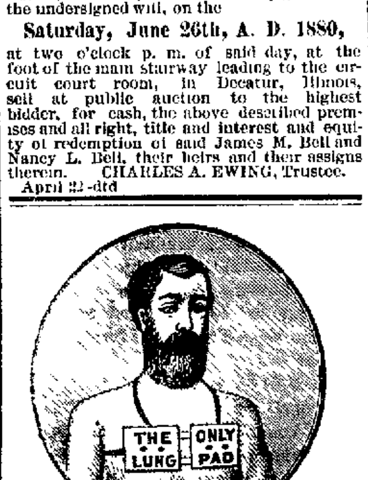
And whereas, default has been made in payment of principal and interest of said indebtedness, and the legal holders of said notes having made application to the undersigned to proceed to sell said premises in compliance with the terms of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the

Saturday, June 26th, A. D. 1880,

at two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the foot of the main stairway leading to the circuit court room, in Decatur, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises and all right, title and interest and equity of redemption of said James M. Bell and Nancy L. Bell, their heirs and their assigns therein.

CHARLES A. EWING, Trustee.
April 22-dtd



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April22—d3meod&w

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May 5—dtf

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—OF—

FINAL SETTLEMENT

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, } ss

Estate of Josephh Kaufman, deceased,

To the heirs of said deceased and creditors of said estate, and whom it may concern:

YOU are hereby notified that on MONDAY, the 28th DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1880, the Administrator, *De Bonis Non*, of said Estate, will present to the County Court of Macon county, at the City of Decatur, Illinois, a final report of his acts and doings as such Administrator, *De Bonis Non*, and ask the Court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do.

ISAAC S. KAUFMAN, Administrator, *de bonis non*.
Josiah M. Clokey, Att'y for estate.
May 25-d3w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE of a writ of Execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill., in favor of John N. Bills and against Charles A Tuttle, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty [20], township fifteen [15] north range 1 east, of 3d P. M., situate in Macon county, Illinois; taken as property of the said Charles A. Tuttle, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the Court House, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said State, on THE 26th DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 26th day of May, A. D. 1880.

M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.
May28-d3w

WANTED—

500 OLD STOVES
For which full value will be given in cash or trade at LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.
April 5—d&wtf

The gentleman who has been off for a fishing excursion, and sent a paragraph to the local papers saying that "Mr. Jones had sent home a fine mess of speckled beauties," could not account for the warm reception from his wife, until he read that "Mr. Jones had been fined and sent home for a mess with some freckled beauties," and then he went for the newspaper man with a rod.

A clerk in a Broadway store recently asked for a half a day's absence, because he wanted to attend a funeral in the country. When he returned the next morning with red hands and freckled face, his employer said: "Where are the fish?"

Editors all unite in asking Edison to invent a style of newspaper columns that will enable each separate advertiser to have a place next to reading matter; at the top of the column. There's millions in it.

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March 19-d3m.

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11-d&w1w

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Oct. 31—d&wtf J. M. CLOKEY.

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April 14—d&wtf

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In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy-No. 2026

In the matter of William J. Brown and Marion C. Wikoff, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said William J. Brown and Marion C. Wikoff, of Decatur, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

16th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.
E. S. McDONALD, Atty's for Petitioners.
Dated at Springfield, June 11, 1880.
12-d4w

In the District Court of the United States, for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy-No. 2160

In the matter of Christian M. Dillinger and Aaron J. Dillinger, Bankrupts,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Christian M. Dillinger and Aaron J. Dillinger, of Warrensburg, in the County of Macon, in said District, duly declared Bankrupts, under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all their debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the

13th DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1880,

at 11 o'clock a. m., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said Court, at the United States Court Room in the City of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupts, and all persons in interest, may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.
HARVEY PASCO, Att'y for Petitioners.
Dated at Springfield, June 11, 1880.
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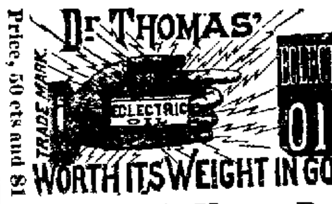

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Jan 1, 1880—d&w

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County } ss

Macon County Circuit Court.

Richard W. Shull, Executor of the last will and testament of Frances Munch vs. Elizabeth Read, John N. Read, Sarah A. Read, Georgiana Read and Susan C. Thomas.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December Term, A. D. 1879, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

MONDAY, THE 28th DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. four [4], in Block eight [8], in the Resurvey of Block eight [8], Read & Co.'s Addition to Decatur, Illinois, (as recorded in Book 72, Page 52, Macon county records), and the south half of Lot No. twelve [12] and Lot No. fourteen [14] in the Resurvey of Lots 2, 3 and 4, Prather, Adamson & Prather's Addition of Out-Lots to Decatur, Illinois, (as recorded in Book 22, Page 258, Macon county records), together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Illinois, May 26, 1880.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
CReA & EWING, Sol's for Complainant.
May 28-d1m

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Edward O Smith and against Joseph King, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot Eight (8) and the South half of Lot seven [7] in Block one [1] of F. Priest's re-survey of Lots five [5] six [6] and seven [7] in Block two [2], original town, now city of Decatur in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as the property of Joseph King, which I shall offer at public sale at the West entrance of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county in said State, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day for cash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 4th day of June, A. D. 1880,

M. FORSTMYER,
June5-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

FOR SALE.

The following named committee of the Macon county Board of Supervisors are authorized to receive sealed bids for the purchase of the county property, familiarly known as the "Old County Jail," or "CITY CALABOOSE," located on the northwest corner of West Wood and Church streets, in the city of Decatur. The lot and building will be sold part cash, the balance to be secured by approved security. Sealed bids to be presented to the committee on July 12, 1880, at the court house. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. A. VANLEER,
HIRAM WARD,
A. C. EDGAR,
Decatur, Ill. June 1, 1880. Committee.
June 5-dtd

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